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ASSEMBLED BATTERY UNIT AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF

> THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE FEE FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975.

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant the requirement contained in the Office Action mailed June 4, 2003, Applicant hereby elects invention I (claims 1-14), drawn to an assembled battery unit.

In view of this election, a full examination on the merits of the present application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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